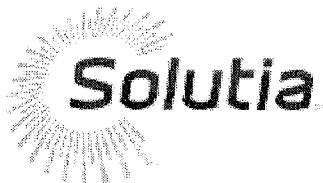




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February 10, 2012

Ms. Stephanie Linebaugh
U. S. EPA - Region 5 (SR-6J)
77 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, Illinois 60604-3590

**Re: Sauget Sites Area I - January 21, 1999 Administrative Order by Consent (AOC)
Monthly Report January 1 – January 31, 2012**

Dear Ms. Linebaugh:

Enclosed is the Sauget Sites Area I Monthly Report for the January 2012 reporting period. This submittal is in fulfillment of the monthly requirements of Section 2.4 Reporting, of the January 21, 1999 Final Administrative Order by Consent for Sauget Sites Area I, Sauget and Cahokia, Illinois.

Sincerely,

Steven D. Smith
Project Coordinator

cc: Kevin Turner – USEPA
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Village of Sauget - c/o P. H. Weis & Associates (Attn: Brian Nelson)
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Jason Flower - Husch Blackwell LLP

Sauget Sites Area I - Sauget, Illinois

AOC - EECA / RIFS

Status Report

Date of Report: February 10, 2012

Period Covered: January 1, 2012 – January 31, 2012

Work Performed during the Reporting Period

- DNAPL continues to be removed from BR-I on an every-other week basis. Approximately 35 gallons of total fluids were removed from BR-I between December 15, 2011 and January 6, 2012, including an estimated 1 gallon of DNAPL.
- The draft RI/FS was submitted to EPA on November 16, 2009, and is currently under review by the agencies.

Attachments

- There are no Technical Memoranda or data submitted with this report.

Work Scheduled for Next Reporting Period

- Continue pumping DNAPL from BR-I on a bi-weekly basis.
- A meeting is scheduled with U.S. EPA and Illinois EPA for March 20th, 2012. Illinois and U.S. EPA comments on the draft RI/FS are expected to be received prior to this meeting.